THEY INDICT NELSON

The Grand Jury Return Three True Bills Against Him.

TWO OF THEM ARE FOR PELONY.

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nd jury of the Hustings Court returned three true bills of inanning Samuel B. Nelson, the and he was promptly rearotted in the sum of \$5,000. funius A. Mosby and his asoposing the jury had spent and and, while to some persons may be a surprise, they

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tment, which is against ard W. Cardwell, within last past, at the said the jurisdiction aforeustings Court of the city Treasury-notes, money, arrency are to the grand but of the value of more goods, chattels, money, the State Bank of Vir-

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books of said bank to the benefit and advantage of the said S. B. Nelson, and to the injury of said bank, with the prito the injury of said bank, with the privity, knowledge, and consent of the said
S. B. Nelson, and with the intent to
cheat and defraud the said bank, and
to enable and assist the said S. B. Nelson to cheat and defraud said bank, and
to feloniously take, steal, and carry away
the amounts of money and currency,
heretofore described, of the goods, chattels, money, and property of the said State
Bank of Virginia, and that the said S. B.
Nelson, in pursuance of said unlawful. Bank of Virginia, and that the said S. B. Nelson, in pursuance of said unlawful, deceitful, and fraudulent conspiracy, combination, confederation, and agreement, so, as aforesaid, made and entered into with said Richard W. Cardwell, afterwards—to wit, at the time and place aforesaid—did on divers and sundry occasions overcheck and overdraw his account with said bank, and did choat and defraud the said bank of divers and sundry sums of money, bank-notes, treasury-notes, gold, and silver coin, a further description of which is to the grand jury unknown, but of the value of more than \$50, with the privity, knowledge, and consent of the said Richard W. Cardwell, but without the ard W. Cardwell, but without the privity, knowledge, or consent of the said bank, with intent to cheat and de-fraud the said bank, against the pence and dignity of the Commonwealth of Vir-

THE OTHER INDICTMENTS. The first of the felony indictments, to which reference has already been made.

at the said city, and within the juris-diction of the said Hustings Court of the city of Richmond, a certain sum of money of the currency of the United States, the kind, number, and denomination of which are to the grand jury unknown, but of the value of five hun-dred dollars of the goods, chattels, moneys, and property of the State Bank of Virginia, a corporation duly incor-porated under the laws of the State of Virginia, then and there being found, then and there uniawfully and feloniously did take, steal, and carry away, against the peace and dignity of the Common-realth of Virginia

Attached to this indictment was a Adached to this indictment was a check drawn upon the State Bank by Samuel B. Nelson, payable to Charles L. Told, and endorsed, "Charles L. Told, per R. L. Cheney, Attorney," "Rectived payment, S. G. Wallace, Cashier," dated

July 24, 1825.

The other indictment against Nelson was for the fraudulent entry of \$120.

May 22, 1895, as a deposit to Nelson's credit in the State Bank, which was adjudged to be a collusion with Richard W. Cardwell, book-keeper, who was lately found guilty of such fraudulent en-

ARRESTED AND BAILED. ARRESTED AND BAILED.

As soon as the papers were handed in Judge Witt thanked the grand jurors for what he said had been their arduous and faithful attention to their duty in his own name, and the name of the community also, and then discharged them for the term. The Judge then issued a bench-warrant for Nelson, who soon appeared in court, accompanied by his counsel, Mr. Meredith.

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Bail was allowed Nelson in the sum of \$1.00, with Walter J. Todd and W. H. Nelson as sureties, and the case is to be set for trial on the first Monday of the December term of the court, the 2d day of the month.

The witnesses before the grand jury

witnesses before the grand jury were Messrs. John S. Ellett, president of the State Bank; William M. Hill, cashler, and Charles A. Peple, book-keeper of that

HOW THE JURY STOOD. It was reported in business circles last night that the grand jury stood four to three on the question of indicting Nelson. There was about the same division, when three weeks ago the report on which Commonwealth's-Attorney Smith ewere out the warrant for Nelson was made

It is said that the bank's loss through It is said that the bank's loss through the falsification of its books was \$3,000, but a considerable sum was recovered through assignments of property made to it and the security bond given by Cardwell. The officers of the bank de-cline to discuss the matter at all.

COLT SCANDAL SETTLED. The Lady to Have an Absolute Di-

vorce-Van Alen.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., November 25.— Mrs. Samuel P. Colt, who charged her husband, President Colt, of the Indusrial Trust Company, with the most se-rious offence possible, is to have an ab-solute divorce. This has been agreed to solute divorce. This has been agreed to by those who represented the different interests at the conference, brought after the collapse of the charges at the Jackson the collapse of the charges at the Jackson (N. H.) hearing. The divorce has been amicably agreed to, and will be sought from the Rhode Island courts, upon the ground of refusal to provide, or something of that sorts. Nothing inimical to the

of that sorte Nothing inimical to the respondent will be alleged.

The negotiations of the past few days have resulted in a complete settlement of the whole Colt family scandal, includof the whole Colt family scandal, includ-ing an agreement to the withdrawal of the \$200,000 suit against Millionaire James J. Van Alen for allenating the affections of Mrs. Colt. Colonel Colt will retain the family mansion in Bristol, and the money payment to the wife will be a sum of money to be paid in full settle-ment, and at once. Both sides express ment, and at once. Both sides express satisfaction at the result. Mr. Van Alen is said to have agreed to the payment of a liberal sum annually

to escape being dragged into court.

BRING OUT YOUR GOLD.

Ex-Governor Flower, of New York, Sets a Good Example.

NEW YORK, November 25.-In pursu-ance of the call of Secretary-of-the-Trea-sury Carlisle for gold, ex-Governor Ros-P. Flower to-day deposited \$250 coin, which he gathered up in his

Governor Flower thinks there is \$400,-600,000 in goid hoarded throughout

eountry. EXAMPLE NO. 2

PHILADELPHIA, PA., November 25.— In pursuance of the call of Secretary Car-lisle for gold, one of the leading retail dry-goods houses of Philadelphia will ship \$100,000 of the yellow metal to the Treasury Department, at Washington,

to-morrow.

The firm in question is making the shipment with the pairiotic purpose of sustaining the government's gold reserve, and they hope their example will induce other business houses here to do the

Southern Rullway Earnings.

NEW YORK, November 25.—The South-ern rallway reports for October gross ern rallway reports for October gros earnings of \$1.973,070, an increase of \$143, nses and taxes, \$1,173,611; increase, 25, expenses and taxes, \$1,175.91; increase, \$25,813; and net earnings, \$79,409; increase, \$67,410; and from July 1st to October 31st, gross earnings of \$6,634,269; increase, \$454,663; expenses and taxes, \$4,472,122; increase. 462; expenses and taxes, \$1,472,122; increase \$255,391; net carnings, \$2,162,137; increase

South Carolina Convention.

COLUMBIA. S. C., November 25.—The convention has devoted its time so far to-day to disposing of the small ordinances and the Seabrook and Rockhill county schemes, which were defeated after a schemes, which were defeated af considerable debate. The ordinance counties on a cash basis was killed,

OMAHA, NEB, November 25.—The Ne-braska Savings and Exchange Bank, of this city, has gone into voluntary liquida-tion. The deposits, amounting to about \$150,000, are reported secure, and the \$150,000, are reported secure, stockholders will get something.

For Over-Indulgence Take Horsford's Acid Phosphate. time and candry false, fraudu-licuitions entries on the said ulates the stomach to healthy action. FOOT-BALL FATALITY Another Sad Sunday at the Uni-

versity. THE DEATH OF STUDENT PHELAN

No Rough Playing-The Accident Will Not Interfere with Thursday's

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., November 25 .- (Special.)-For the second time this session a deep gloom has overhung the University of Virginia on the Lord's-

The occasion of the sadness yesterday was the death, under singular circum stances, of Mr. George R. Phelan, one of the students.

Saturday afternoon Mr. Phelan took part in the foot-ball game between the medical and law classes, playing on the team composed of members of the lat-During the progress of the game Mr. Phelan was seen to fall, apparently injured. In answer to the ques-tion if he could be able to continue in the game, he replied no. He then lost the game, he replied no. He then lost consciousness, and in this condition he was taken to the side-line, and Dr. Bar-ringer summoned. The young man was then removed to the infirmary, where he died at 10 minutes to 7 o'clock yesterday morning, without having regained

at the request of the ambrensy authorities an inquest was held yesterday
afternoon, the following gentlemen acting as the jury: Colonel T. L. Preston,
R. H. Fife, Reuben Maury, John R.
Anderson, Dr. J. O. Moss, and Emmett
Buffer. After viewing the body the jury
repaired to the Jeff Hall, where the exreputation was held conducted by Canamination was held, conducted by Cap-

animation was need, conducted by Cap-tain Micajah Woods, Drs. Buckmaster and Christian, mem-bers of the faculty, who made the post-morten examination, both testified that the blood-vessel, the rupture of which caused Mr. Phelan's death, was in a direased condition, and was likely to have been ruptured by any violent exertion. Several other witnesses testified, and the examination was very thorough. There

To the coacher of the law team Mr. Phelan had complained of feeling dizzy, and expressed a fear of not being able to continue in the game. However, he did so, and it was after this that he to continue in the game. However, he did so, and it was after this that he was taken from the field. This same witness testified that in the position in which Mr. Phelan was lying it would have been impossible for the players who were going around the right end to have struck his head. It was also in testimony that deceased had compalned the night before the game of a stiff neck, adding that unless he felt better he would be unable to play the next day.

THE VERDICT.

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THE VERDICT.

The verdict of the jury, which follows, clearly shows that the student's death need not be attributed to foot-ball. While all the officers and students of the University of Virginia are grieved over the sad affair, they are glad that Mr. Phelan's death was not necessarily the result of an accident in the game. The verdict was:

result of an accident in the game. The verdict was:

"That said George R. Pheian came to his death by reason of violent exertion on his part, or of some strain or fall during a foot-ball game, on November 25, 1835, which produced the rupture of a blood-vessel in the brain; which blood-vessel is shown by the evidence to have been in a diseased condition, owing to previous inflammatory action; and, further, they say that the evidence discloses the fact that there was no sign of any external injury on his head or body; and, further, that no participant in said foot-ball game is to be blamed for any reckless, rough, or criminal conduct during the game."

Mr. Phelan was from Memphis, Tenn, and this was his second session at the university. He was quite popular with

university. He was quite popular with his fellow-students. He was about 23 years old and of good physique. To-day, out of respect to his memory, all lectures at the university were sus-

pended. His remains were escorted by the students in a body to the union sta-tion, where, accompanied by his parents, who arrived last night, the train was taken for Memphis.

THE THANKSGIVING GAME.

Professor Lile, acting chairman of the university faculty, was asked this morn-ing what effect the accident was likely to have upon foot-ball at the university, and particularly upon the Thanksgiving. Day game in Richmond. He said that there had been no meeting of the faculty. there has been no meeting of the faculty, but that he thought one would be called. He could not speak officially for the fa-culty before this meeting was held, but he could see no reason why any action should be taken to interfere with Thursday's game. The facts, as brought out in the evidence before the cotoner's jury yesterday, showed clearly that Mr. Phelan's death had resulted from the breaking of a weak blood vessel, caused by excitement or overexertion, and not by any blow or external injury received du-ring the game. Professor Lile added that the accident could have occurred as well in tennis, track athletics, or any other form of athletics

DR. BUCKMASTER'S OPINON. Dr. Buckmaster said: "I do not think that the accident should have any effect upon foot-ball or interfere in any way with the Thanksgiving-Day game. Foot-ball is unquestionably a rough game, but when played by gentlemen is not too dangerous. I never saw a game played with better feeling on both sides than the onon Saturday, and I cannot see that any of the facts surrounding Mr. Phelan's death should have any bearing upon the

Dr. Barringer said that he did not think the sad event should, interfere with Thursday's game, or that it could pro-perly have any bearing upon foot-ball at the university in the future.

THE TEAM LEFT. Late last night the foot-ball team and the scrub team took the train for Ash-land, it is said, where they will practice until Thursday. Possibly 'the boys' were afraid Mr. Phelan's death would in some way affect the Thanksgiving-Day game. but the managers and lovers of foot-ball that such will not be and that the game will certainly be

Kappa Alpha Fraternity, of which Mr. Phelan was a member, met to-day and passed resolutions of respect to his mem-ory. The medical class has appointed a committee for the same purpose.

CHICAGO BARBERS' WAR.

Anti-Sunday-Closing Faction

Scores-Writ of Prohibition. CHICAGO, ILL., November 25 .- In the CHICAGO, ILL., November 25.—In the barbers' war over the enforcement of the Sunday-closing law the anti-closing faction scored heavily to-day, when Judge Windes issued a temporary injunction order prohibiting two justices of the peace from issuing any more warfants for the arrest of barbers who work on Sunday, or from taking any further action in the cases now pending in their courts. The writ of prohibition is an ancient and obsolete part of the common law, which, so far as is known, has never been used in illinois, and seldom been resorted to in other States.

The Judge will hear arguments on the resorted to in other States.

The Judge will hear arguments on the writ next Friday, and, incidentally, page upon the constitutionality of the law.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., November 2.-Seven convicts escaped from the Prat

mines last night by overpowering the guard. The convicts secured possession of a saw in some way, with which they sawed through a partition early in the night, while all but one guard were temporarily absent, Burt Thrasher, a notorious desperado, managed to get the torious desperado, managed to get the gun of the remaining guard, and, then, giving the command, six of the convicts followed him. They made good their

RICHMOND, VA., TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1895.

Burt Thrasher, the leader of the party. was serving a long term for killing a negro in Walker county. He was for a long time a companion of the notorious outlaw, Jim Morrison, who was killed last winter by Deputy-Sheriff Cole, of

SOUTHERN EXPRESS COMPANY.

Annual Meeting-No Change Among

Officers-Decreased Earnings. SAVANNAH, GA., November 25,-The annual meeting of the Southern Express Company was held here to-day. The company is organized under the laws of Georgia, and, though its principal headquarters are not here, the meeting was held in Savannah because it was the most convenient place for all of the of-ficials to meet in. The meeting of the stockholders was held first, and a board of directors for the ensuing year was elected. The directors then elected

board of directors for the ensuing year was elected. The directors then elected officers, as follows:

President—H. B. Plant.
Vice-President and General Manager—M. J. O'Brien.
Second Vice-President—M. P. Plant,
Secretary and Treasurer—G. H. Tilley.
The directors are Messrs. H. B. Plant,
M. J. O'Brien, C. L. Loop, M. F. Plant,
and Henry Sanford.
There were no changes whatever in
the Board of Officers and Directors.
The company reports a decrease in
earnings, owing to general causes, which
have affected all transportation lines.

POSSIBLE STEAMBOAT WAR. Southern Railway-Bay Line-New Line to This City.

BALTIMORE, MD., November 25.— The announcement that the Southern Railway Company will establish a line of steamers between Baltimore and Norfolk, in opposition to the old Eay Line and Merchants' and Miners' Transportation Company, promises to produce a steamboat war. It is reported to-day that, as a counter-move to the contemplated action of the Southern Railway Company, the Bay Line will establish a line to Richmond, in opposition to the Richmond and York-River Line. President R. C. Hoffman, of the Bay Lane, in speaking of this marter, said: "I am reluctant to bring about any trouble in transportation matters. Esfolk, in opposition to the old Bay Line

trouble in transportation matters. Established lines and routes best adapted to meet the demands of the public should not, in my opinion, be interfered with Of course, I shall protect the interests of those whom I represent and should there be another line established between Baltimore and Norfolk, a new line to Richmond will follow."

CHICAGO MUST PONY UP.

Else the Republican Convention Will Go to Pittsburg. CHICAGO, ILL., November 25.-William

J. Campbell, the Illinois member of the National Republican Committee, returned to-day from his visit to Washington, He had a long conference with J. Irving Pearce, who has taken the initiative in working for the National-Convention prize working for the National-Convention prize to be awarded Chicago. It was learned that Mr. Campbell told the chairman of the Chicago committee that immediate action of a definite character must be taken by Chicago's business-men, and a guarantee of the payment of at least 170-000 made to the National Committee be-fore the claims of this rity, would be con-sidered It this tay and dince in a few days.

the home. The day was spent in going over the testimony of inmates and em-ployees of the home. Two or three mem-bers of the board sald that it was not probable that Shuman would be removed. Probable that Shuman would be removed. There are now sixty-two printers at the

CENTRAL CITY, W. VA., November 25.-Two freight-trains on the Norfolk and Western railroad had a head-on colgines were almost a total loss, and are weided together. Fifteen box-cars were wrecked, and traffic was delayed ten hours. The loss to the railroad company will run far into the thousands. No one was seriously injured.

Baltimore and University.

BALTIMORE, MD., November 25.—(Special.)—Colonel Charles Marshall, who presided over the meeting on Saturday of the Baltimore alumni and friends of the buildings, and the committee includes the following: Dr. Robert Atkinson, H. P. C. Wilson, Alexander S. Learned, Thomas B. Mackall, and the Rev. Edward H.

Child-Murder and Snielde.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., November 25.—
After killing his two children by locking them in a large box and suffocating them with gas, Herman Hattenhorst, 35 years of age, a boxing instructor, committed suicide by sending a bullet crashing through his right temple. No cause is assigned for the deed, other than despondency over business matters. The bodies were found at 12:30 o'clock this morning in the rooms used by the man to give boxing-lessons, on the second floor of No. 1295 Broadway.

A Matter of Business.

Did it ever occur to you that you have money, either lying idle, producing no-thing, or earning a very small rate of in-The opportunity is offered to secure a

guarantee of not less than 7 per cent. with a further participation in the profits earned by "The Mutual Guarantee Buildor and Loan Association," of Richmond.

Va., which may equal, if not exceed, 15
per cent, on your investment.

Their fully paid stock offers a safe,
sound, and scientific investment, which is

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Interest payable semi-annually.
The officers of "The Mutual Guarantee" would be glad of an opportunity to point out, by letter or in person, how this form of investment may be adapted to the individual conditions of any business-man, who desires to improve and increase his income through a safe and legitimate channel.
The reneral offices of the association

legitimate channel.

The general offices of the association are located at No. 1913 east Main street; President, C. W. Tanner; I. N. Vaughan, Vice-President; William A. Price, Secretary and Treasurer; E. B. Thaw, Manager of Agents.

Everything in our store will be sold at reduced prices, to enable us to leave the present building by January 1st. The stock includes the finest makes of Pianos and Organs; also fine Guitars, Mandolins, Banjos, Sheet-Music, and Music-Books. The discount will be made on cash sales.

MANLY B. RAMOS & CO., No. 903 Main street.

SONS OF REVOLUTION New York City Society Celebrates

Gotham's Evacuation-Day. MR. J. ALSTON CABELL SPEAKS.

State in the Colonial Struggle-He Evokes Cheers for the Old Do

NEW YORK, November 25 .- In accordance with their custom of many years' standing, the New York Sons of the Revo-

lution celebrated Evacuation-Day with a

reunion and banquet at Delmonico's. There was an informal reception in the red-room from 7 until 7:39 o'clock, after which a banquet was served. Frederick S. Talmage, president of the society, presided, and acted as toastmaster. Among those present were Rev. Brockholst Mor Monsignor Robertson, Admiral Meade, United States navy; David J. Burrell, D. D., Rev. Dr. Francis L. Patton. president of the College of New Jersey: Hon. John Alston Cabell, of Richmond, William G. Hamilton, Charles H. Woodruff, Rear-Admiral Walker, United

States havy; Hon. William D. Hardin, vice-president of the Georgia Society; Ass. Bird Gardiner, Hon. Warner Miller, and Thomas E. Vermilye Smith.

When the coffee and cigars were served. President Talmage arose and delivered a short address, in the course of which he spoke of the services of George Washington and reviewed her like the services. space of the services of George Washing-ton, and reviewed his military life. Rev. Francis L. Patton, of the College of New Jersey (Princton), was then in-troduced, and his subject was "Princeton and the Revolution." He said: PRINCETON FACTS.

"Washington wrote his farewell to the American people from Princeton, or very near Princeton. I am here to speak, not as a Son of the Revolution, but to repre-sent a callege that will be 150 years old next October.

"Princeton College had nine members of

the constitutional convention of the United States—more than Yale and Har-vard and Columbia colleges had to-gether." gether."
He spoke of the part college men should

take in the affairs of the government and take in the affairs of the government and political science, Rear-Admiral Meade, United States navy, was then introduced, and repiled to the toast, "Commodore John Paul Jones, of the Navy, Sponsor of the Stars and Stripes on the Ocean." He said in part: "I am here to-night to speak to you of a man of dauntless courage, who flung the Stars and Stripes to the breeze on the ocean—of John Paul Jones, the man who first carried the Stars and Stripes to Europe, and fought under the national em-

rope, and fought under the national em-blem of his adopted country. There is no glamor of romance thrown around his heroic acts." Admiral Mende then reviewed the life

MR. CABELL. The next speaker was John Alston Cabell, of Virginia, who responded to the toast "New York and Virginia in the Revolution." Among other things, he

said:

"The bravery, valor, and patriotism of the men of the Revolution are the wonder of the civilized world. There were no two Colonies that were subjected to more temptations to desert the cause of more temptations to desert the cause of freedom than New York and Virginia—no Caionies that had less to complain of than these two. They were under a church that taught that the King could do no wrong. They were favorably looked upon by England, and their sub-jects were well received at court. Not withstanding all this, they were loyal to the cause of the Colonies, and their men were among the hero soldiers, and

fought nobly at the battles of Saratoga and Yorktown, as well as in others. "The French, with all their dash and courage, did not equal Alexander Hamiled him. The battle of Yorktown is one of the greatest in the history of the world, I think that to be descended from such men as those of the Revolution is one of the greatest honors to men."

At the conclusion of the speech three cheers were given for Virginia.

Rev. Dr. J. D. Burrell was the last speaker, and responded to the toast "Nathan Hall, the Patriot Spy."

U. S. CLUB FIELD TRIALS. Opening of the Sport with Pointer

Derby-Programme. CHARLOTTE, N. C., November 25.-A special from Newton, N. C., to the Observer says: To-day has been another line day for the field trials. The morning was foggy and damp, which was a very fa-vorable condition. The United States Field Trials Club opened up their sport with the pointer derby. A drawing was

with the pointer derby. A drawing was had, and resulted as follows:
Virginia, owner H. K. Devereux, handler George E. Gray; against Ripsaw, owner H. S. Smith, handler J. H. Johnson.
Blytheiy, owner J. L. Adams, handler J. H. Johnson; against Sister Sue, owner N. T. Depaw, handler N. B. Nesbitt.
Crackerjack, owner J. L. Adams, handler J. H. Johnson; against Leo, owner J. A. Castleman, handler M. A. Fly.
Samha, owner Ottaten, handler George

A. Castleman, handler M. A. Fly.
Sappho, owner Ottaten, handler George
E. Gray; against Hessie D., owner T. T.
Ashford, handler J. H. Johnson.
Ridgeview Cash, owners Avent & Thayer, handler J. M. Avent, a bye.
These nine starters are as a whole a
poor lot of dogs, only one or two being

at all meritorious. at all meritorious.

The first series was finished at lunchtime, and the second series was announced as follows: Crackerjack against Virginia; Ripsaw against Ridgeview Cash; This series was finished by 3

First prize, \$150, Virginia; second prize,

First prize, \$150. Virginia; second prize, \$125. Crackerjack; third prize, \$160. Ripsaw; fourth prize, \$75. Ridgeview Cash; afth prize, \$25. Leo.

The setter derby will be drawn to-night and started in the morning, and after this will follow the all-age-pointer stake, and when that is finished the all-age-setter stake will be taken up.

The following is a list of the United States Club members who are present: Dr. N. Row, president, Chicago; W. B. Stafford, secretary, Trenton, Tenn.; J. M. Avent, Hickory Valley, Tenn.; J. L. Adams, Louisville, Ky.; N. B. Nesbitt, Chesterville, Miss.; N. N. Titus, Waverly, Miss.; John D. King, Jackson, Tenn.

Messrs, W. S. Bell, Pittsburg, Pa.; J. L. Adams, Louisville, Ky., and John D. King, Adams, Louisville, Ky., and John D. King, Jackson, Miss., are the judges for these

MRS. MARY KEAN FOUND DEAD.

She Was the Stepmother of Arch-hishop Kenn.
BALTIMORE, MD., November 25.—Mrs. Mary Kean, stepmother of Archbishop Kean, rector of the Catholic University, at Washington, was found dead in her room, at No. 15 north High street, toroom, at No. is north fight street, or night. She was about 52 years of age. Mrs. Kean had resided comparatively alone for the past fifteen years. It is not known what caused her death, but Coroner Alexander Hill will investi-

gate. Mrs. Kean was last seen on Sat-urday by an inmate of the house, when urday by an inmate of the house, when she was apparently in her usual health. The badly decomposed body was found partly undressed on a sofa in the front room of her residence at a late hour to-night. She had apparently been dead

Murder and Robbery. RALEIGH, N. C., November 3.-On Saturday afternoon Mr. J. E. Bonner was murdered in Beaufore, and robbed of everything in his pockets. We was a member of one of the oldest and most prominent families in that community. A coroner's jury was summoned from Washington, N. C.

Attempt to Poison a Priest While He

FROM CARDINAL LOGUE.

A Pastoral Letter-Support of the

Pope. DUBLIN, November 25,-Cardinal Logue, Archbishop of Armagh, and Primate of all Ireland, upon the eve of starting for all Ireland, upon the eve of starting for Rome, has issued a pastoral letter, in which he declares that the Pope never stood in greater need of the consolation and support of the Irish people than now. The Cardinal censures the British Ambassador to Italy, Sir F. Clarford, who, he says, is also the representative of Ireland, for beflagging the British embassy at Rome during the recent demonstrations in the Italian capital, by which means he sought to outrage and insult the head of the Church.

THE POPE AGAIN ILL.

His Condition May Cause Another

Postponement of Conistory. LONDON, November 25 .- A dispatch from Rome to the Pall Mall Gazette says that the Pope was again ill this morning. During last night his Holiness had a chill and coughed a great deal, but did not have any fever.

It is feared that the condition of the Pope's health will necessitate another postponement of the expected consistory,

Dumns Passing Away.

PARIS, November 25.—The report circulated early this morning that M. Alexandre Dumas, the distinguished author, was dre Dumas, the distinguished author, was dead was premature. He is suffering from an abscess on the brain, and is in a comatose condition. His physicians have no hope of his recovery, and his relatives have been summoned to his bedside.

St. Hilaire No More.

PARIS, November 25.-M. Barthelemy St. Hilaire is dead. He died in his chair in his study, where he was found by members of his family last evening.

ROME, November 25.—Heavy snow-storms prevail throughout the provinces of Piedmont and Liguria, Raliway traffic is completely blocked, and trains are em-bedded in huge snow-drifts.

An Interesting Programme Well Interpreted Before Large Audience. Under the auspices of the Mozart Asso-

THE MOZART MUSICALE.

ther the auspices of the aboat Association a concert company, which included two vocalists, a violinist, and a pianist, gave a very creditable entertainment at the Academy last night.

Mr. Fritz Gaul, the violinist, appeared Mr. Fritz Gaul, the visitist, appeared in the first number. His tone is full and round, and his bowing admirable, and though at times his playing is not clean, he gave genuine pleasure in his second solo, "Gypsy Life" (Sansote), and received an enthusiastic recall,

Mr. William Manley, who possesses a deep and sonorous bass voice, which, however, lacked cultivation and was not properly controlled, filled two numbers.

Miss Woolford possesses a powerful soprano voice of considerable range, which, despite its evident purity and breadth, seemed to need characterization. She sang "More Regal in His Low Estate," from Gounod's "Queen of Sheba," and Bizel's "Down Near the Walls of Sevilla," and was deservedly encored for both numbers. "Down Near the Walls of Sevilla, and was deservedly encored for both numbers. Miss Nannie Davis, the planist, displayed skill in execution, and an admirable conception of the composer's intention in Rubenstein's Harcarole in A minor, and in Wagner-Liszt's "Epinning Song."

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MOUNT CARMEL, PA., November 25 .-A villainous plot to murder Father Jakomowies by putting poison in the chalice from which he drank wine at mass was only frustrated by the robbery of the church by the would-be assassins. The arsenic and Paris-green that had been placed in the sacred cup and several vials used by the priest were luckily discovered by him when apprised of the burgiary. The conspirators and intended that the priest should meet a tragic fate at mass, and that the worshippers should a lawsuit in which the priest is interested will come up for trial in a few days adds a mysterious meaning to the dark

The fact that the church had been robbed was discovered by the disorder in the vestry, and, not satisfied with the money, the thieves tampered with the most precious instruments used in the service of communion.

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The priest had himself carefully polished the sacred cup on Saturday and placed it in the proper niche. He took it down and saw that a peculiar green liquid was in the bottom of the chalice. Then the priest examined carefully, and found that the solution contained arsente and Paris-green. He also discovered that several vials used in the service had been partly filled with the deadily poison. The priest soon after the dreadful truth was revealed was obliged to conduct mass. Later in the day be informed the police authorities, but no arrests have yet been made.

Pather Jakomowics has had trouble ever since he assumed charge of St. Joseph's, a few years ago. An attempt was made last year to blow up the parsonage with dynamite, but the plot was uncarthed in time to avert disaster. Recently a man and his wife brought action against him for an alleged asseable tops of the letter.

tion against him for an alleged as-sault upon the latter. The priest waived a hearing, and, entering the ne-cessary ball, at once began an action against his accusers. The case will be tried next week.

Open Letter.

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any other. That is not a fact. In view of this issue between us, I call upon you now to admit or deny that the official reports show that each of six or more companies doing business in Virginia paid in 1884 to its policy-holders a higger percentum of dividend than your company paid to its policy-holders, and that my company is one of these six.

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